

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: William S. Dynan, et al.
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Examiner: Aeder, Sean E.
Title: Compositions and Methods for Modulating DNA Repair

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To the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks:

The above identified applicants respectfully request the Commissioner of Patents consider the enclosed remarks and enter the following submission into the record, in response to the Examiner's Office Action dated November 16, 2007. If the Examiner requires additional action that may benefit from a telephone call, Applicants invite a call to one of its attorneys of record, Greg Peterson (Reg. No. 45,587). Email correspondence and transactions to gpeterson@bradleyarant.com are authorized and encouraged.

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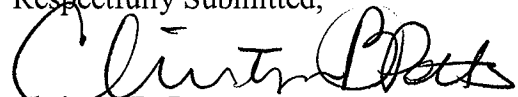
Applicants are filing a two month extension of time necessary to establish continuity between the present application and a continuing application filed under 37 CFR 1.53(b).

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Respectfully Submitted,



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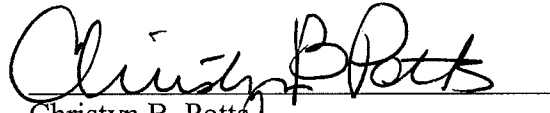
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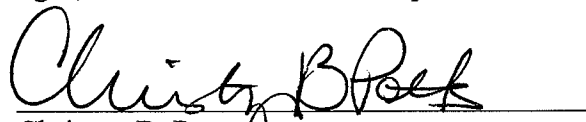
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